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FOR: NON-AQUEOUS ELECTROLYTE SECONDARY BATTERY AND  
NEGATIVE ELECTRODE FOR THE SAME

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 44 pages of specification, claims, abstract.
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ Priority Claimed.
- ☒ Certified copies of Japanese Patent Application Nos. 2000-267626 and 2000-267627
- ☒ 5 sheets of formal drawing.
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd.  
and the assignment recordation fee. ☒
- ☐ An associate power of attorney.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and reference.
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard
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Multiple Dependent Claim(s)					\$0.00
Basic Fee					\$710.00
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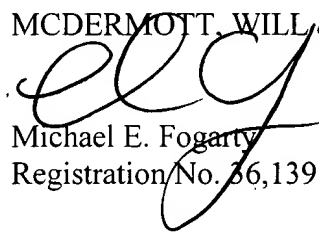
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